SENATE BILL 2597

By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-3-202, relative to car sales for scrap metal or salvage.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-3-202, is amended by deleting the words "or junk dealer" and substituting instead the language in subsection (a) and adding the following language ", junk dealer or scrap metal processor" to the end of subsection (a):

The dealer shall also require the seller of any vehicle to provide proof of ownership by showing the vehicle title and shall maintain a copy of the title for each vehicle purchased. SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.